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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all the prior listings of claims.

1. (Currently amended) A method of treating or inhibiting rheumatoid arthritis, ulcerative colitis or Crohn's disease ~~a disease that is caused or enhanced by induction of a cytokine-2 receptor in a patient in need thereof, the cytokine-2 being a member of the IL-1 family, the method comprising administration of an effective amount of a cytokine-1 to bind to the cytokine-2 receptor~~IL18R, wherein the cytokine-1 is IL-1F7b and wherein the IL-1F7b is administered together with IL-18BP ~~or mutein, fused protein, functional derivative or fragment thereof.~~
- 2-4. (Cancelled)
5. (Cancelled)
6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the cytokine-1 binds to the signalling chain of the cytokine-2 receptor.
7. (Cancelled)
- 8-9. (Cancelled)
10. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the cytokine-1 is administered systemically, subcutaneously or intramuscularly.
- 11-40. (Cancelled)
- 41-42. (Cancelled)